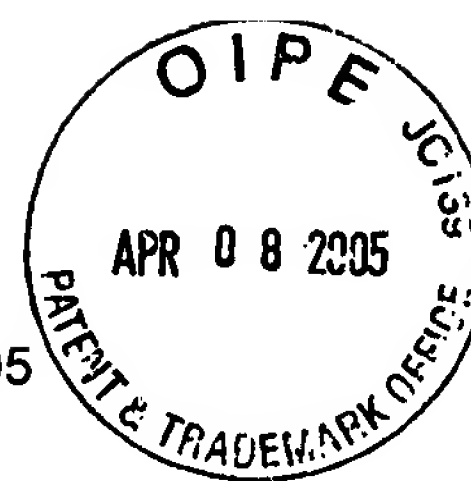


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REPLY TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the notice of non-compliant amendment (37 CFR 1.121) mailed March 29, 2005, we are resubmitting the "Amendments to the Claims" previously submitted on February 17, 2005, in which the identifier for claim 19 has been corrected from "original" to -currently amended-.

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